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PROCESS FOR THE PREPARATION OF (Z)-2-(2-ARYLETHENYL)-ARYLCARBOXYLIC ACIDS

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[origin: US4857658A] (Z)-2-(2-arylethenyl)arylcarboxylic acids of the general formula I <IMAGE> (I) where A is a group for completing an aromatic ring system and Ar is an aromatic radical, are prepared by reacting a 2-formylarylcarboxylic acid of the general formula II <IMAGE> (II) with an (arylmethyl)phosphonium salt of the general formula III <IMAGE> (III) where R1, R2 and R3 are each organic radicals and X is halogen, in the presence of a base at from (-20 DEG ) to +30 DEG C. by carrying out the reaction in the presence of a C1-C5-alkanol and/or a C2-C4-alkanediol.

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